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Council Decides To Take Census

Mrs. F. Creighton Visits California

LAC LA BICHE — Mrs. F. Creighton left Edmonton by plane, April 11, for a trip to Los Angeles to visit relatives. She will visit a sister, Mrs. T. A. Blewett, and family and a brother, Henry Beebe and family, who have lived in California since leaving Alberta almost 30 years ago. The trip will also include a stop in Vancouver to visit a brother, Delmar Beebe and his family. Although the sister and brothers have been back for short visits, this is the first time Mrs. Creighton has made the trip south.

In a note from Vancouver, Mrs. Creighton tells of the dubious thrill of experiencing the failure of one engine while the plane was over the rugged peaks of the Rocky Mountains. The plane returned to Edmonton and, after losing some time, the trip was resumed in another plane which behaved beautifully. Mrs. Creighton says she was not scared, but Mr. Creighton, when asked for comment, said that while he would not openly challenge the statement he felt it might be due for some modification.

Mrs. Creighton expects to be away for about three weeks.

Lac la Biche

Mrs. Nils Leirdal of Waterways returned to her home Friday of last week after spending a week visiting her sister Mrs. C. E. Chisholm.

The Women's Institute Library will open Wednesday evenings at 8:00 p.m. instead of 7:00 p.m. beginning at once. The April meeting of the WI featured a report on home economics and was held at the home of Mrs. H. Marchildon on April 18.

The district has been experiencing a set back in the pleasant weather which ushered in the month of April. Snow showers have been the order of the day for several days, and the thermometer held close to the freezing point for days.

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Agreement To Provide Forestry With Water Services Confirmed

LAC LA BICHE — At the regular meeting of town council it was deicded to take the census of the town. A provincial government grant received by the town each year is based on population figures and, for this reason, many municipalities take acount of their residents each year in order to keep up with population increases.

A census taken in May, 1960 showed a total population of 1213, and council believes there has been sufficient increase to justify another count in 1961. Mrs. Ida Tatum, who was in charge last year, will again be counting heads this year. The final figures should be available about May 10.

At last week's town council meeting all members were present with the exception of Mayor Maccagno, who had been given permission to be absent from meetings during the period that the provincial legislature was in session.

Mr. McIntyre, of the department of public works, was present to get an understanding regarding a water line to the location of the new forestry garage and warehouse. A motion was passed by council confirming an agreement to provide the site with a 1¼ inch service line and install a fire hydrant within access of the property. The department has agreed to share in the cost of the extension to the amount of $2,000.

First reading was given to a revised business tax by-law to be in force for 1961.

A building permit for a private garage and improvements to a dwelling, estimated to cost $5,500, was approved and a permit was granted for construction of a new dwelling estimated to cost $8,000. One permit was tabled till next meeting of council, for further consideration. An application for the right to locate a trailer home on a private lot was turned down.

General accounts totalling $2,657.82 and gas system accounts amounting to $4,331.14, were passed for payment.

Red Cross Campaign Opens At Plamondon

Plamondon Red Cross Campaign is now officially opened. The Red Cross needs your help. You in turn some day may need the help of the Red Cross. If the local canvasser cannot get to your door due to road conditions would you be kind enough to see that your donation is turned in.

The Red Cross has generously helped fire victims in this area, so we ask you when the canvasser comes to your door to welcome him he is giving his time, won't you give him a few spare minutes of your time and your donation, whether it be large are small. All donations are appreciated.

Need For Unity Of Purpose Emphasized By F. J. Bigg, MP

At the April meeting of the Lac la Biche chamber of commerce, held in the banquet room of the York Hotel, Frederick J. Bigg, federal MP for this constituency, was guest speaker.

Mr. Bigg's address was directed especially to members of the chamber of commerce as an organization. He delt at some length on the need for unity of purpose among the different chambers of commerce and boards of trade. He pointed out that when a number of such groups have agreed on the needs of a certain area, their voice carries much more weight than when the various groups are divided and present a variety of opinions.

In speaking of roads, he said he felt that any improvement to roads in the constituency would benefit the constituency as a whole, even though the routes followed might not please everyone.

A good turnout was present to hear Mr. Bigg.

Funeral Rites For Mrs. Sophie Lewicki

SPRUCE VALLEY — Funeral services were held for Mrs. Sophie Lewicki who passed away recently in an Edmonton hospital at the age of 61 years.

Mrs. Lewicki was a district resident and widely known.

She leaves to mourn her passing her husband Harry; two sons, Walter of Calgary and Mike of Edmonton; three daughters, Mrs. Mary Myorchik and Mrs. Stella Nederhouse of Edmonton and Mrs. Olga Bereziuk of Donatville and one sister in the old country.

Interment was in the St. Michael's Cemetery.

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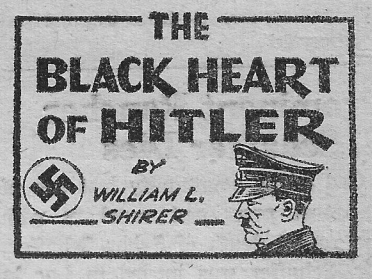
Shower And Stag Party At Frains

A shower and stag party was held in the Frains Lodge on April 10 in honor of Miss Dianna Urdiga and Orest Petroski, who were married on April 14.

Music for the evening was supplied by the "Four Stars".

The couple were presented with a beautiful set of chinaware.

SIGNALMAN WILFRED PRUDEN, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Pruden, Lac la Biche, has successfully completed a 20-week recruit course at the Hamilton Gault barracks in Edmonton. Now a trained soldier, Sgmn. Pruden will be posted to the Royal Canadian School of Signals, Kingston, Ont., to complete his training.—National Defence photo.



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Sarrail—Carol Marchuk
South Hylo—Mrs. W. Sawchuk
Spruce Valley—Mrs. J. Homeniuk
Venice—Miss Denise Lefebvre
Wandering River—Miss Jeannette Strayski

Prominent Rancher S. Schaffer Dies

Owl River community lost one of its most prominent ranchers with the recent death of Sykes Schaffer. Mr. Schaffer was buried in Lac la Biche cemetery on April 4.

Born in southern Alberta town in 1912, Mr. Schaffer later spent several years on a trap lease north of Cold Lake before moving his family to Owl River.

He is survived by his wife, two daughters, Ida (Mrs. Art Schewie) and Ruth; two sons, Ralph and Cecil; his father; five sisters and two brothers.

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Carol Cadieux and Romeo Plamondon Pledge Vows At St. Isadore's Church

PLAMONDON — A pretty wedding was solomnized at St. Isadore's parish church on Easter Monday, when Carol, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Cadieux, became the bride of Romeo, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Plamondon of Avenir.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was radiant in a floor-length gown of lace and net over satin, the bodice trimed with sequins and pearls. She wore a chapel veil and carried a bouquet of red roses.

Miss Phyllis Cadieux, sister of the bride, wearing a white floor-length dress and Miss Albertine Plamondon sister of the groom, wearing a yellow floor-length dress, attended the bride.

Mr. Jerry Gauthier and Mr. Fred Gerwias were the best men. Mr. Charlie Cadieux, brother of the bride was usher.

The Plamondon choir sang beautiful hymns during the ceremony. Rev. Fr. Croteau officiated.

Dinner was served at the Trio Cafe. The table was beautifully decorated with flowers and centred with a three-tier wedding cake.

The newley weds left after dinner for their honeymoon and on their return a dance in their honor was held in the Plamondon Hall.

They will reside at Avenir.

Sarrail

Visitors at the Peter Marchak home recently included: Mr. and Mrs. Nick Basaraba and girls, Mr. and Mrs. Alec Moroz and Mr. and Mrs. Nick Kolmatisky and family.

A church service was held recently at the Sarrail Greek Orthodox church.

Andrew Punchisyn has returned from Edmonton.

Recent visitors to Edmonton were: Paul Marchak, Jack Shewtz and Henry Budney.

Many residents attended the wedding of Miss Diana Urdiga and Orest Petroski which was held at Grassland Community Centre. Diana is the youngest daughter of the Urdiga family.

Visitors to the district from Edmonton recently included: Miss Juliana Kolach, Miss Nancy Kmech, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Petroski, nee Mary Kachur, Miss Wanna Hewko, Walter Yakomak, Miss Joyce Hewko, Rae Kolach, Nick Namchur, Miss Minnie Shewtz and Miss Rosie Hnatishyn.

Old Trail

Paul Parranto is a patient in St. Catherine's Hospital Lac la Biche.

Peter Parranto has returned to his employment at Anzac.

Frank Frederick and Roderick Cardinal were recent visitors at the R. Ladouceur home.

Church Notices

UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA
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Minister: Rev. S. L. Munro
Sunday, April 23

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Family Worship ..... 10:00 a.m.
Beginners Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
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Public Worship ..... 1:30 p.m.
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Sunday School ..... 8:00 p.m.

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1st and 3rd Sundays.
WANDERING RIVER—
Evensong at 7:30 p.m.
2nd and 4th Fridays.

AUCTION SALE

The Knights of Columbus of Lac la Biche will hold an Auction Sale on SATURDAY, April 22nd, at 2 p.m. at Hayward's Lumber Company, Lac la Biche. Items include—Household Articles, Appliances, Tools, Clothing and other valuable items.

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JOSEPH RADMANOVICH, Mayor.

South Caslan

Mrs. Delphine Fredricks has returned home after visiting her daughter Mrs. Nancy White in Edmonton.

Miss Mary Jean McDonald of South Hylo was a weekend guest at the Paul Delorme home.

J. Howese and A. McDonald of South Hylo were recent district visitors.

A. and R. Puden, N. Boucher and A. Cardinal of Kikino were in the district last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Cardinal left to visit friends at Conkin.

Ernest Howese of Lac la Biche has been a guest at the Peter Joe home.

D. Patonate and family recently moved to the High Prairie district.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Bouque and their daughter, Mrs. Joan Cardinal were in Edmonton on business last week.

Marvin Cardinal of Edson recently visited his father, Norman Cardinal.

Miss Rennia Bellcort of Edmonton has been visiting her cousin, Mrs. Joan Cardinal.

Goose Lake

Lynda and Doris Bergheim of Edmonton spent their Easter holidays here with their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl York and family of Edmonton spent Easter in the district with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Suhan and son Dale of Golden, B.C., recently visited in the district.

Edgar Joe celebrated his 21st birthday on April 13.

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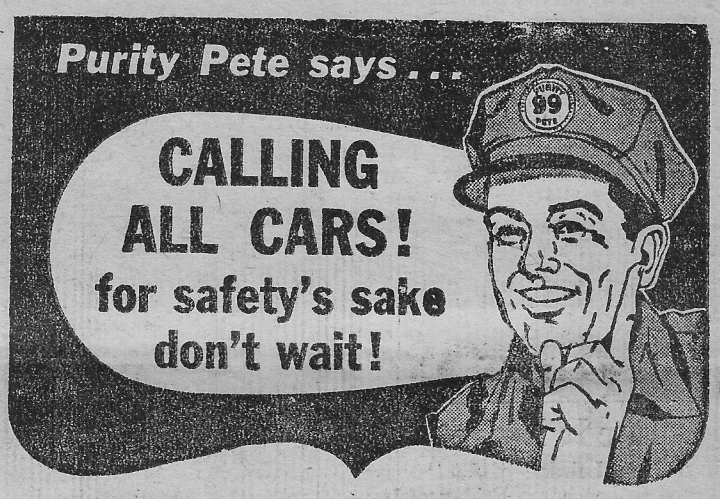

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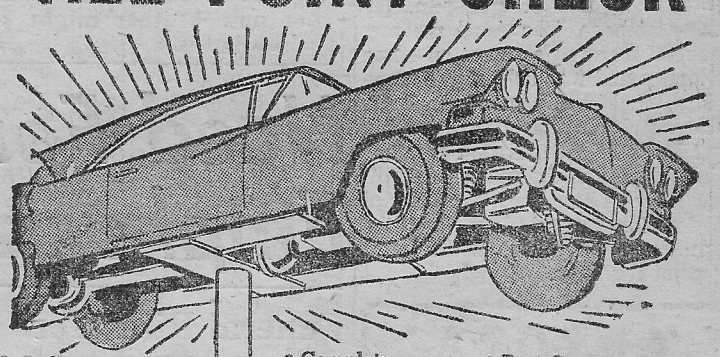

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Indians Build Own Homes On Reserve

Supervisor Instructs Beaver Lake Residents In Art Of Construction

By Henry Thompson

At the invitation of Mr. Varty, building supervisor at Beaver Lake, I had an opportunity to examine the 13th house built at the Beaver Lake reserve in the last three years. Four more homes still to be built, will give every family resident, a new, modern frame-built home.

This four-room attractive building in finished on the outside with insole stone with green rubberoid roofing The house includes two bed rooms and a roomy kitchen with cupboards, cabinet style, with excellent fixtures. The large living room is at the front entrance. All rooms have floors finished with masonite tile. Hard wood doors and crew fit windows.

The house, 24 by 32 shows extremely good workmanship through out from top to foundation. A Selkirk chimney adds a pleasing effect to the whole structure. On leaving the place Mr. Varty asked me what I thought about the work.

I answered, "that I thought is was an excellent job and I wished that I had a house on the farm as good."

"All the work on that house from top to bottom, except the cabinet work and inside fittings on the windows, is the work of the Indians themselves. Except for supervision, it is entirely Indian work. I started three years ago to teach these men how to do this work, I think you will admit that in the work here, I am well rewarded for my efforts in their behalf." said Varty.

The man is a most enthusiastic sponsor of Indian ability when properly directed. He has had a knowledge and experience with the Indian people second to none in the province as he is familiar with conditions and needs of many reserves where he has helped build schools and homes.

"You talk of educating the Indian. The government has built schools in practically every reserve in the country, but what is really needed is the education of the whites. Their passive acceptance of deplorable conditions on Indian reserves all these years and accepting these conditions as unavoidable and inevitable is bad. Thank goodness the government has finally faced up to their responsibilities in this regard."

The opinions expressed by Mr. Varty I can heartily agree with and there is proof, of their ability in the building, I had just examined. It is a monument to his patience and teaching and to the skill of the men who did the work.

However I believe that schools and sanitary homes are only the beginning, for it will be necessary to provide a means of gaining a livelihood from the fertile acres that up to the present have never been used to any extent. The success demonstrated by Mr. Varty in carpentry could be carried further in the form of agricultural development.

The Hutterites have proved that community enterprises can be successfully operated so much so that they have become a serious problem to governments and adjacent settlements. Indian tribes of the western provinces, even in the days of plenty when buffalo were numerous, shared the products of the hunt co-operatively.

The Beaver Lake reserve containing approximately 24 sections of land is well adapted to stock raising and there is some fine open arable land of a rich chocolate loam suitable for grain growing or, better still, the growing of alfalfa hay or other tame grasses.

A demonstration farm need, not be any elaborate plan at the beginning but must have some good equipment to bring raw land under cultivation. Worked by the young men of the reserves under competant supervision and instruction it could in a matter of two years pay dividends on the expenditures. The work men of necessity must be paid nominal wages while they are taught the use of equipment and the production of crops.

The act which makes an Indian immune from civil action in the courts is, in this machine age, restrictive, harmful and completely obselets. It should be rescinded because it is detrimental to an honest, energetic Indian who could in the course of his labors establish his own credit standing. It is harmful to the honest man and is only a protection to a crook who may take advantage of this proviso to take in some unsuspecting white man who does not know of this rule.

The Indian has been granted dominion franchise and is a big step toward the economic integration of the Indian in the affairs of his country. With good schools, homes and a means to a better livelihood, can enlarge his equity in society and economically become a self-supporting citizen.

Mr. Varty's experience and success in teaching home building, may provide some good ground work for study and his ideas in the practical application of any plan developed could be invaluable for future use. Educating the white man in this case means convincing Officials of the Indian Departments the value of this project. Presenting our MP with a brief outlining suggestions that could be helpfull in presenting it to Parliament.

Wandering River

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Karpetz and daughters Vicky and Eileen have moved to Williams Lake B.C. where they will make their new home.

Mrs. Mary Karpetz is a patient in the Lac la Biche hospital.

Charron

George Fischer, Shirley and Mrs. Jess Fischer made a business trip to Edmonton recently.

Mrs. George Shapka was a patient in St. Catherin'e Hospital, Lac la Biche.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Fischer are the porud grandparents of the baby girl born to Mr. and Mrs. Roderick Baldwin.

The wedding dance of Mr. and Mrs. Romeo Plamondon was attended by many district residents.

A family reunion was held at the home of Mr. J. Shapka on Ukranian Easter Sunday.

Shirley and Nellie Fischer were guests at the Guy home in Grassland recently.

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Athabasca County Minutes:

Another Year For Loxam As Athabasca County Chairman

Ed Loxam was unanimously re-elected as chairman of Athabasca County, for one year, by the first meeting of the council following the elections. Val Breckenridge was elected deputy chairman for the first six months.

The meeting was held on April 4. Returning officer B. C. Hart made his report of the elections, declaring councillor E. Parr re-elected for division 4; Jack Davidiuk re-elected for division 7, and George Weldon re-elected by acclamation for division 9.

Following a discussion relative to organization of the municipal and school committees respectively, it was agreed the whole council should sit on each committee.

Ed Parr was re-elected chairman of the school committee. A. Aloisio, M. Krajacic and Val Breckenridge were named to the hospital committee, with Breckenridge acting as chairman.

The appointments of Oliver Olson, of Smith, representing the LID's; Ben F. Shaw, of Athabasca, representing the town of Athabasca and Stan Zayezierski, of Boyle, representing the village of Boyle, were approved by the council.

FIRE GUARDIANS

B. C. Hart, Hans Armfelt and the members of the council were appointed fire guardians.

All the council will act on the finance committee.

Councillors E. Parr and Dan Lechky were re-appointed to the Health Unit Board.

George Weldon was named as council representative on the Farm Purchase Board, and the two farm members will be Walter Klak and George Hague.

Five members were named to the Court of Revision, which will sit on April 17: Val Breckenridge, Mike Krapacic, Jack Davidiuk, Joe Shimonichek and George Weldon.

Chairman Loxam and councillor Jack Davidiuk were named to the Accident Prevention Committee, along with the shop foreman and building supervisor.

Mr. Aleksiuk was named to the Agricultural Service Board, and Joe Shimonichek and George Weldon are the council members.

The Civil Defence representatives are E. Loxam and J. Davidiuk.

E. Loxam was named to represent the county on the Athabasca Cemetery Board, and A. Aloisio to represent the county on the Jubilee Park Board.

The date and hour of meetings will be the same as in previous years: the Thursday following the second Tuesday at 10 a.m.

H. Armfelt was appointed weed inspector and pest control officer.

The ban on county roads was lifted to half-loads on April 5, on all county roads. Council intends to prosecute infractions of the ban.

A. Aloisio and E. Loxam were appointed to serve on the Foundation for Pleasant Valley Lodge.

VETERINARIAN AVAILABLE

George Godel, district agriculturist and Hans Armfelt, field supervisor, appeared before the council with the information a veterinarian might be available. His name is Dr. M. Hidiroglau, and they requested the council to give a grant under the act to help get him started in the area. Mr. Armfelt will contact federal and provincial authorities with this information.

In reporting for Civil Defence, chairman Loxam said that the budget this year had been set at $1520, of which the county only pays 12½ per cent. A discussion of how the rate should be divided between town and county, on a basis of population or assessment, showed population leading by a small margin. Final decision was left till after the meeting with the town. The council felt the town secretary should handle the bookkeeping duties.

A discussion of surveys needed in the county followed. There are a number of roads which should be surveyed and it was felt that if possible it should be done under the winter works program. The surveyors will be at the regular meeting and further discussion will follow.

Grassland

Mrs. Bracco travelled to Edmonton to attend the recent funeral of Mrs. Harry Lewicki.

Mrs. Keith MacDonald, formerly of Grassland is home from hospital after giving birth to a baby boy last week.

Anton Hrynyk is still making use of crutches after the recent operation on his foot.

Mary Sutton has moved to Slave Lake for the summer months.

Dan Sadownik has returned home after some time in an Edmonton hospital.

Frains

Recent visitors at the Kachur home were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Petroski of Edmonton.

School children enjoyed the few extra holidays they gained as a result of the ban on municipal roads.

Fifteen of the local elders motored to Weasel Creek on April 14, where they performed their five-act Ukrainian play for the fourth time.

Recent visitors at the Kowalyk home were Mr. and Mrs. Mike Kowalyk, Nadia Kowalyk and Alexandra Nekonechny, all of Edmonton.

Walter Gilowski and Andrew Kowlyk, who were employed at Whitehorse, have returned home for an indefinite period.

Miss Sophie Shwetz, who is employed in Edmonton, was home for the weekend.

John Urdiga and friend spent the weekend at the Sam Urdiga home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Shyian made a business trip to Athabasca recently.

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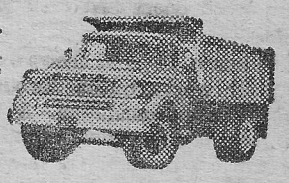

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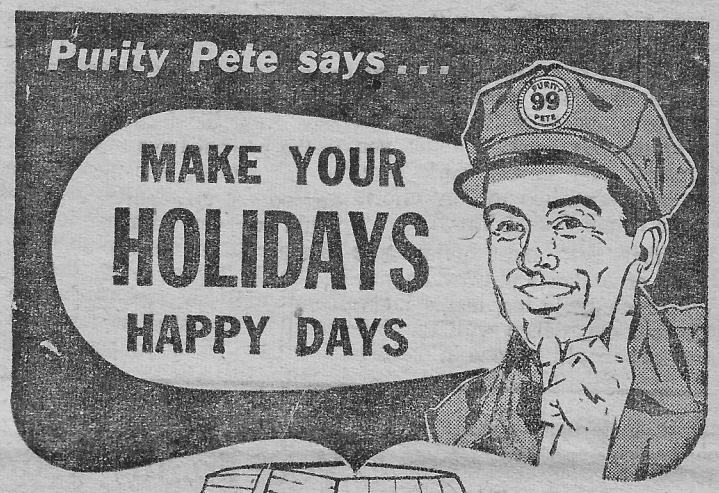

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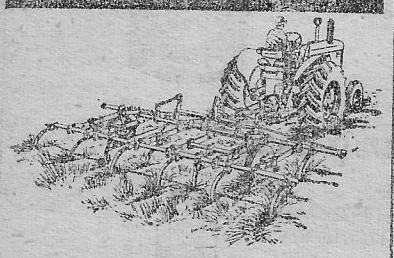

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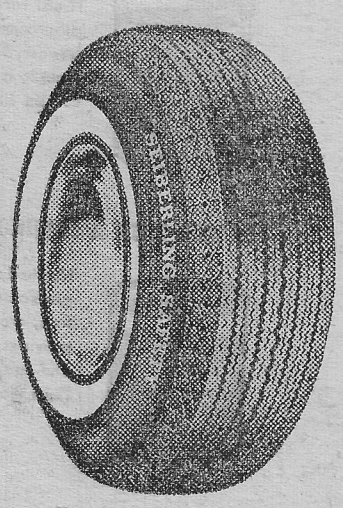

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Wheat Pool Committee Organized

History Of Farmer Group Related By Rhyason, Information Director

The initial Wheat Pool sub-district committee meeting was held at Grassland Community Centre recently. Ray Parson consented to enter into this plan at the last annual meeting and spent some time selecting a group of committee men early this year.

The meeting started at 10:30 a.m. The members introduced themselves and then Mr. Parson as chairman introduced the officals. The purpose of the spring meeting is to supply key members with information concerning the Wheat Pool which will enable them to explain its policies to people they meet during the normal course of their activities, thereby resulting in a better informed membership.

The purpose of the fall meeting would be to supply members of the Wheat Pool so that they would be able to report accurately to the delegate the ideas and feelings of members of their districts of Pool policies and all issues related to the activities of the Pool. This would enable the delegate to better represent the members in his sub-district when attending the annual meeting.

Jim Rhyason, assistant director of country information, then led a discussion on Wheat Pool topics such as history, ownership and government of the organization. He mentioned that the Wheat Pool was organized in 1923 because the government dropped the Wheat Board, which had been in effect during the first great war. As a result the wheat prices dropped from $2.21 in 1919 to 65c per bushel in 1923.

The government would not return the Wheat Board because of severe opposition from the grain trade, therefore the far sighted fathers of that period decided to set up a Wheat Pool.

A meeting with Aaron Sapiro, a California lawyer present, resulted in a resolution being passed calling for the organization of the Alberta Wheat Pool. Mr. Sapiro was noted for organizing farm commodity pools in the United States.

As a means of getting started, the committee decided to proceed by setting a goal, that they would canvass for contract signers, covering 50% of the 1922 wheat acreage. This was done strictly voluntarily. The Pool at this time had no elevators, so they contracted with other grain companies to handle their grain. While operating in this manner, the Pool worked much as the Wheat Board does today.

In 1925 the Pool decided to build their own elevators as they wanted better control of farm deliveries and they wished to introduce the payment of patronage dividends. Capital was raised for this venture by a levy of 2c on every bushel delivered to the Alberta Wheat Pool.

Mr. Rhyason emphasized the effect the depression of 1929 had on the Pools, the period of rehabilitation and the recovery of the organization. He stressed that the AWP is a strictly farmer-owned co-operative. Its entire ownership is represented by the Wheat Pool reserves held by the members.

Only grain producers and, more recently, forage or cereal seed producers are eligible for membership. After joining, every member acquires ownership in proportion to his use of the facilities.

All pool dividends are paid on patrongage, therefore members can benefit from their ownership only by using their own elevators.

The advantages are gauged by the amount of co-operative effort and not from the amount of money invested.

The Wheat Pool elevator system is a major part of the members' farming equipment. It is the machinery through which they market their crops to the best advantage. It is the only piece they are able to buy on easy instalments without financing charges and pay for out of the money they save by using it. It is the only equipment they can use and then sell, when they are through farming, for its full purchase price in cash.

Mr. Rhyason then spoke on the government of the Pool, stating that it was in the hands of the members. It would be impractical for 49,000 people to get together to decide policy, therefore they elect delegates to represent them. For this purpose the province, with portions of British Columbia, is divided into seven districts, each of which is divided into 10 sub-districts. The members in each sub-district elect a delegate, making a total of 70 delegates. To ensure equitable representation, sub-districts are established by a formula based on the number of members and amount of reserves in each. Boundaries are set to make these two factors as nearly equal as possible in all sub-districts.

Mr. Rhyason then stressed the qualifications of a member and a delegate and went on to explain the election of a delegate and the procedure followed.

He mentioned that the delegates' annual meeting is set by by-law to start on the fourth Tuesday of November and last nine or 10 days. The delegates ask for and are given information on all aspects of the business. They have complete control of the sessions and their decisions as expressed by the majority are final. The policies and instructions of the delegate body are carried out by the board of directors which in turn, gives guidance to the general manager.

It is the important duty of the delegates to keep the members they represent informed of the business transacted at these meetings.

Each of the seven districts is represented by a director. He is elected by the delegates from his 10 sub-districts.

In closing, Mr. Rhyason gave the qualifications and duties of the directors and went on to compare the government of the Pool with the government of Canada; Pool members are the lectorate, sub-districts are constituencies, delegates are the members of parliament, the board of directors is the cabinet and the employees are the civil servants.

The Wheat Pool staff is responsible to the general manager, the manager to the board of directors, the directors to the delegates and the delegates to the members.

Mr. Parson then asked the meeting for opinions on the advisability of forming a committee. He mentioned that even if he consented to enter into this program of setting up a committee, it was the prerogative of the members present to continue or withdraw.

The desire to form a committee was unanimous. Jack Davidiuk was elected chairman; Joe Drezzick, vice-chairman and Daniel Gowalko, secretary.

Mr. Davidiuk took charge of the meeting and it was decided that the fall meeting of the committee would be held at Grassland because of it being the most central in the sub-district.

Followed by a few comments from Ed Ness, Alberta Wheat Pool fieldman, and Glen White, Alberta Wheat Pool superintendent, the meeting adjourned.

The Grassland Home and School Association served a meal at noon and a lunch immediately after adjournment.

Gourin Residents Victims Of Fire

GOURIN — The home and all possessions of Mr. and Mrs. John Bourassa were destroyed by fire recently.

Mrs. Bourassa was at home at the time of the blaze which was believed to have started in the chimney as it was first noticed in the attic.

Neighbors and friends rallied to the assistance of Mr. and Mrs. Bourassa and their six children and they have been the recipients of many articles of clothing and household goods.

The family extends heartfelt thanks to those persons who have helped them so generously.

Date To Remember

WANDERINB RIVER — A three-act play, "The Monkey's Uncle" will be held in the Wandering River Hall on May 5 at 8:00 p.m., sponsored by the Wandering River Students' Union.

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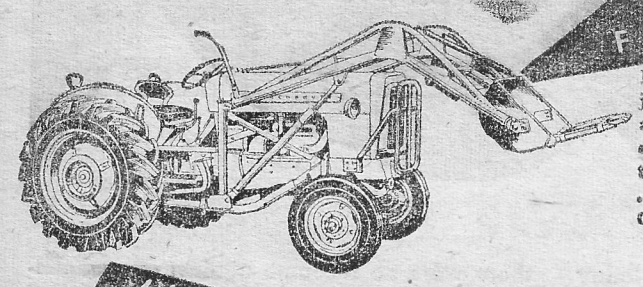

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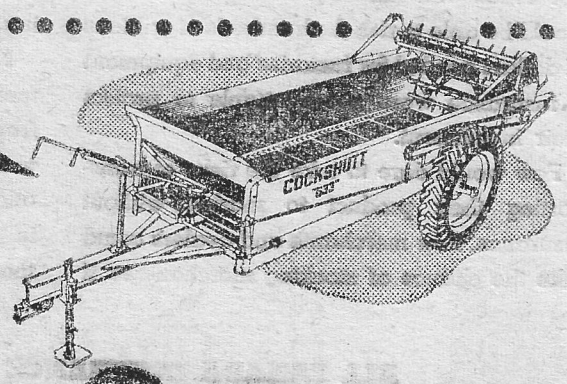

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HYLO — The annual meeting of the Hylo Co-operative Association, which was held in the Hylo school, was well attended. Guest speaker was J. Heath, assistant of the Co-operative Activities Branch.

Mr. Heath, commenting on some of the problems of the co-operative, reminded everyone that it should set a good standard. He stressed the policy of keeping the prices low, quality the best and maintaining good service to the public. If blunders are made one year, every effort must be made to correct them the next. Criticism should not be personal but as constructive to the business as possible. Accounts receivable should be kept at a minimum.

Explaining further, Mr. Heath advised that fairness in dealing with everyone is essential. It is not enough to just say it, but needs doing as well. The main purpose of the co-operative is to save money, so expenses must be kept down.

Concluding his interesting and inspiring address, Mr. Heath stated that he would be most willing to help the Hylo co-operative with any problems if the directors would send him a complete report every month.

N. Charuk, from ACWA, explained the financial statement for the year ending December 31, 1960. Although net sales of the Hylo Co-operative were higher in 1960 than in 1959, it was found that the gross trading margin was lower by some $1,400.

Questions in regard to the co-operative were answered by both Mr. Heath and Mr. Charuk, enlightening the public on a number of matters.

Controversy arose in regard to the by-law that a family man must buy $400 worth of goods in the Co-op Store and a single man $200 worth before they are eligible for the position of a director. Some thought this should be lowered, others wanted this abolished but upon taking a vote 18 were for the by-law, 14 were against and a number were undecided.

During election Mike Poholski was refused the privilege of being nominee for director on the aforesaid by-law, but evidence later proved this to be incorrect. Closer scrutiny on the part of the directors will be necessary. The matter, as to who was more adverse to the co-operative, those who look toward the store for personal gain or those who wish to share benefits, was contended. Many other questions which caused a difference of opinion were dealt with.

A brief report on the completed building program was given by the president. The head carpenters were M. Tichonuk and Henry Michetti, who received $1.00 an hour in cash while all assistants received 85 cents an hour in equity. Electric wiring was done by Alex Moshuk. The sum of $3,500 for this building addition was borrowed from the Credit Union at 6% interest. Some thought this money should have been borrowed locally to reduce expenses as was done when the co-operative was first started.

Carl Keehn, John Coli and Fred Marchesi were re-elected as directors and Walter Lozinski was elected in place of Harry Stratichuk. The other directors are Albert Michetti, M. Tichonuk, Mike Zalewsky, Geo. Michetti and Alex Mpshuk.

Co-op shares were distributed to the following new members; N. Dupelko, Andy Guinand, William Sachko, Walter Stratichuk, T. N. Sawchuk and Gordon McEachern. Others entitled to shares who were not present were Ernie Beaudry, Richard Meardi, Nick Mahowich, James Marchesi, Norman Kennedy, Victor Manca, Wilfred Inkster and D. Pankiw. To date ther are approximately 90 Hylo Co-op shareholders.

Two interesting films, "The Arctic Outpost" and "The Building of the St. Lawrence Seaway" were shown. Lunch concluded the meeting.

Rich Lake

Mrs. Jennie Kumpula has been visiting relatives in Saskatchewan.

George Waine came close to winning a car in the ten car bingo in Edmonton. He was in the tie-breaker and won a carving set as a consolation prize.

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Hospital News

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Mrs. Lawrence Anderson, Lac la Biche; Mrs. Alex Boucher, Mile 168; Ronald Beniuk, Lac la Biche; Mrs. Edward Boostrum, Imperial Mills; Mrs. Gerald Calvert, Lac la Biche; Theresa Cardinal, Imperial Mills; Mrs. Bessie Dent, Amesbury; Roy Gauthier, Mrs. Alex Gauthier, Plamondon; Mrs. Edward Harpe, McMurray; Steve Konoza, Lac la Biche; Mrs. Norman Kennedy, Calvin Kennedy, Hylo; Joseph Konowalchuk, Mrs. Katie McCormick, Lac la Biche; Alphonse Patenaude, Caslan; Mrs. Paul Parranto, Lac la Biche; Gerald Plamondon, Plamondon; George Ramsum, Caslan; Mrs. Michael Steffin, Lac la Biche; Karam Taha, Lac la Biche; Oliver Trudeau, Frains; George Veillette, Lac la Biche.

Born to: Mr. and Mrs. Louis Macor, Venice, a girl, April 6; Mr. and Mrs. Norman Kennedy, Hylo, a boy, April 9; Mr. and Mrs. Alex Boucher, Mile 168, a boy, April 11; Mr. and Mrs. Adolphus Patenaude, a girl, April 12; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ekeberg, Lac la Biche, a girl, April 14.

Shower Compliments Miss Mabel Paulin

The McMurray-Waterways CWL sponsored a miscellaneous shower in the club room of the old mission for Miss Mabel Paulin.

Following games the bride-elect, assisted by Miss Sylvia Duncan and Miss Rose Mary Oakley, opened a vast number of beautiful gifts from the many ladies who gathered for the occasion.

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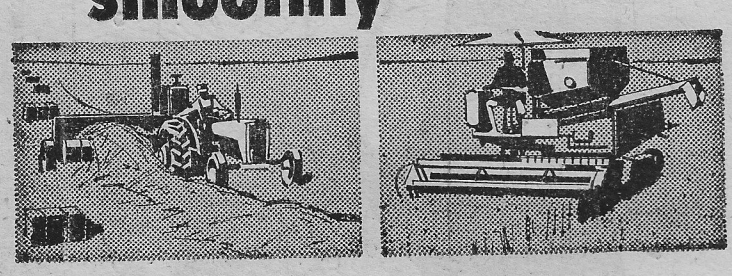

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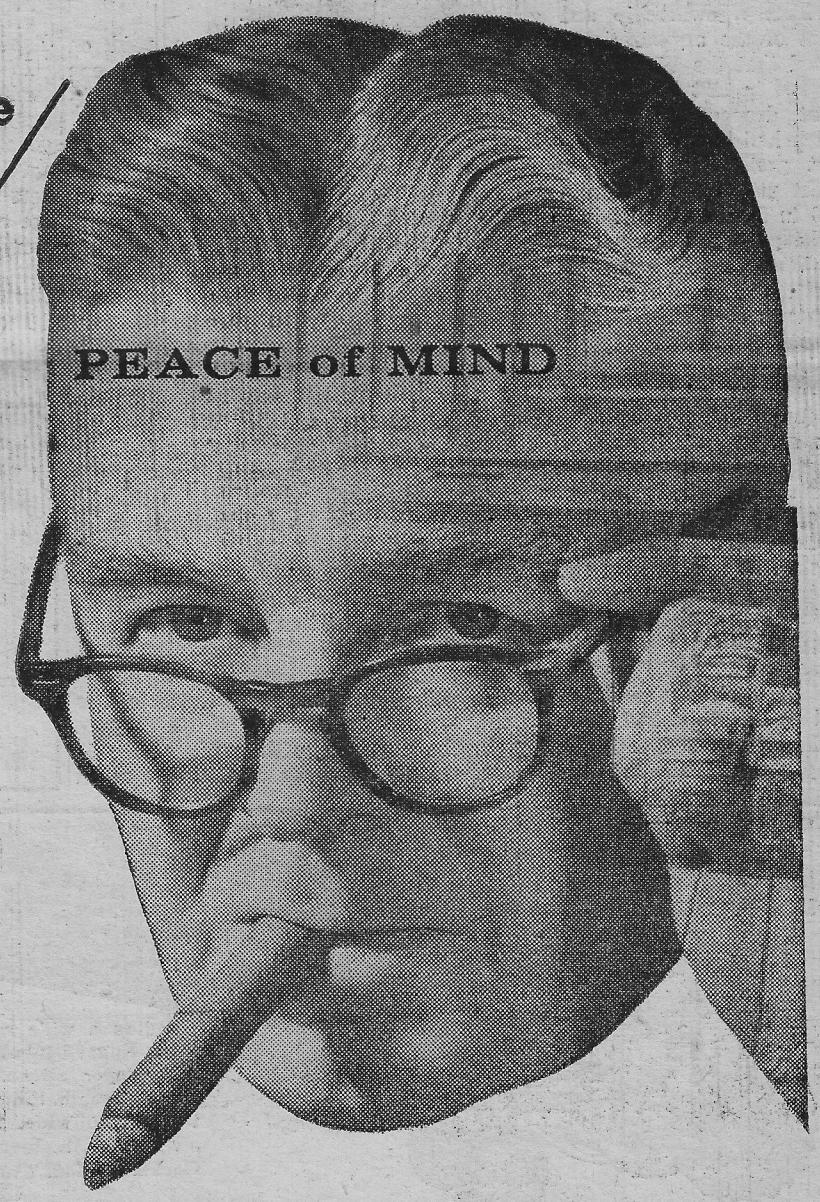

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Devils & Hot Rods Win St. John's School Basketball Final Games

McMURRAY — St. John's School held its basketball finals recently in the school gyminasium with a record crowd of parents and friends attending.

In the girls' playoffs the Amazons tangled with the Devils who had a six-point lead. In the boys' finals the Hot Rods battled the Seven Stooges who had a solid lead of 15 points. The Devils took advantage of their lead and won 29-28. The Stooges got off to a bad start and lost 51-50.

Coffee and doughnuts were served at half-time.

N. LeBlanc, teacher at St. John's coached all the teams who took part in these intra-mural games. W. Walcer, principal of the Fort McMurray School, assisted by Joe Harpe, refereed the finals.

The players on the winning teams were:

Devils: Virginia Shemko, Freddie Bird, Tillie Hyska, Evelyn Couture and Marry Shemko.

Hot Rods; Henry Harpe, Mickey Cockerill, Paul Theriault, Raymond Gauthier, Jimmy White and Dan Cardinal.

The losing teams lined up as follows:

Amazons; Lorraine Couture, Diana Leitner, Sally Kreutzer, Linda White and Beverly Hawkins.

Seven Stooges; Dennis Duncan, Henry Couture, Billy Waniandy, Douglas Kovatch and Billy Demers.

Plans were made to present the new Strandberg Trophy for girls' basketball and the Teen-age St. John Trophy for boys' basketball to the winners at a later date.

McMurray IODE To Sponsor Tourney

McMURRAY—The monthly meeting of the IODE was held at the home of Mrs. H. Dunster with seven members and two visitors present. Vice-regent Mrs. M. A. Jewett presided in the absence of Regent Mrs. N. Hill, who is away on holidays. The coming annual convention in Edmonton was discussed and Secretary Mrs. A. Morico volunteered to attend as delegate.

Fund raising projects were discussed and it was decided to hold a cribbage tournament in the St. John Anglican parish hall. A trophy is to be purchased for the event. The charge will include a buffet supper. Mrs. P. Nichols, Mrs. K. Hill and Mrs. G. Strandberg volunteered to convene this event.

Women's Club Adds $165.11 To Coffers

McMURRAY — The monthly meeting of the Women's Community Club was held at the home of Mrs. J. Anderson with President Mrs. William MacDonald in the chair and a goodly attendance of members.

Treasurer Mrs. L. Tolen reported a profit of $51.46 from a banquet that the club provided for the recent oil men's bonspiel; also a profit of $65.39 from the St. Patrick's dance that was held in the McMurray Theatre hall. A raffle on a set of Melmac dishes which took place at this dance netted the club $48.26. The raffle was won by Joe Waters.

The monthly raffle was won by Mrs. R. Tolen.

Purchasing of dishes and silverware for the Community Hall came under lengthy discussion and the price of these was to be investigated by Club President Mrs. MacDonald.

Bayview

Miss C. Dowhanuik left for Edmonton after spending several weeks with her parents here. A number of young people gathered on the occasion of a farewell party held in honor of Ronald Plamondon. Ronald was presented with a suitcase and flashlight. He is leaving to work in the north. Mrs. Plamondon served lunch.

GROUNDS FOR DIVORCE

A lady in Memphis, Tenn., has been granted a divorce from her husband after she testified, among other things, that he spent $900 on cablegrams denouncing Nikita Khrushchev and Fidel Castro, but used only candles and a kerosene lamp and heater to light and heat their home for her and three children.

THE Homemaker

By BERTHA M. McCUTCHEON

Towards spring is likely to be the time when stocks in the home freezer are at their lowest ebb, since the winter will have made great inroads on the frozen fruits and vegetables. This, then, is likely to prove a logical time to practice some freezer good housekeeping and defrosting, which should not be necessary more than once or twice a year.

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Frost accumulation on the walls or plates of the freezer acts like insulation. It impedes efficient operation of the unit and should be removed when approximately one-quarter inch thick. It is accomplished simply by scraping off the accumulated frost with a wooden paddle or a plastic type scraping tool such as a windshield scraper. Do not use a knife or other metal instruments. Sweep up the loosened frost with a whisk and remove it. The frozen products need not be removed from the freezer provided there is sufficient room to shift them out of the way.

A thorough cleaning should be given if the walls or plates of the freezer have accumulated a thick coat of hard ice which scraping will not remove, or if food has been spilled in the freezer. Switch off the freezer, then spread a thick layer of previously chilled newspapers on the table or floor and stack the frozen products in a compact pile. Cover the pile with more newspapers and several blankets. To hasten the defrosting process, place a dish of hot water or an electric fan inside the freezer. When the ice has melted, mop up the water, wash the interior surface with soap and water, rinse and wipe dry. If there is any odor wash again with a baking soda solution of 1 tbsp. soda to 1 gallon of water. Switch on the freezer and reduce the inside temperature to zero before replacing the frozen foods. If the freezer is to be left empty for short time leave unplugged and prop the lid partly open.

Arrange frozen foods in groups in order to save time when looking for a particular product. Food may also be located quickly by specific color markings, either with coloured pencil or more readily seen coloured labels cut from locker tape. Always date the packages and keep your stock fresh by using the oldest packages first. It is poor economy to hoard frozen foods.

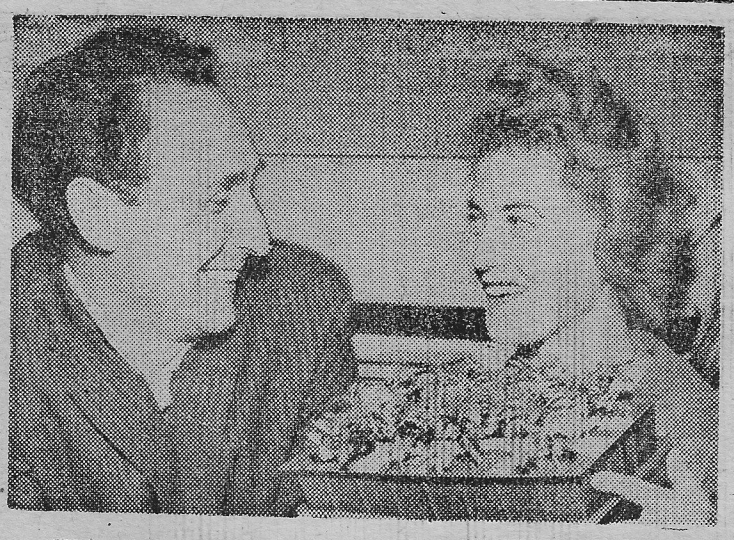
Helina

Mr. and Mrs. William Onciul and family were recent visitors to Vilna.

The Whelen children visited their sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Don Atfield of Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Onciul recently made a trip to Edmonton.

James Carruthers was in the district recently renewing acquaintances.



This little plastic greenhouse is an example of what a farmer with some enterprise can do in Canada, and it's no wonder Alex Raab and his wife, Jeannine, are all smiles. Orders are pouring in from stores and seed firms for the invention. The French immigrants were on the verge of returning home five years ago, but they got what was considered to be worthless property at Unionville, Ont. The horticultural specialist now has a business employing 11 people. The plastic greenhouse started out as a sideline and is now a $100,000 business. It gives seedlings the exact conditions of full-scale greenhouses.

Duncan Rink Grand Champions At McMurray School Bonspiel

McMURRAY — The annual McMurray School bonspiel was completed recently with 12 rinks from St. John School and four from the Public School competing in the 12-day event. This bonspiel was made possible through the courtesy of both the Waterways and McMurray Curling Clubs who donated the ice free of charge from 4 to 6:00 p.m. daily.

The grand championship of the three-event competition was won by the Dennis Duncan rink of St. John School, defeating the Albert Theriault rink 12-4. The St. John, or second event, was won by the Bobby Driver rink of St. John School with a winning score of 10-7 over Wayne Gill. The Huggard and third event was won by the Jimmy Furber rink which defeated the Henry Harpe rink 7-5.

The Grand Champion rink consisted of Dennis Duncan, Mary Woodward, Victor Theriault and Jack Sykes.

The St. John's event winners were Bob Driver, Paul Theriault, Lynn Goodwin and Belinda Bickford.

The winners of the Huggard event were Jimmy Furber, Roy Mulowka, Sandra Clark and Phyllis Duncan.

A social evening will be held later to present the winners with trophies and prizes donated by the Ladies' Auxiliary, the Catholic Women's League, the Catholic Men's Association, Hill Drugs Ltd., and Haxton's Store.

Mission To Be Held At St. John Church

McMURRAY — The Waterways-McMurray CWL held it monthly meeting in the audio-visual room of St. John's School with President Mrs. A. Stadler in the chair and a goodly attendance of members.

The meeting was devoted to mapping out a campaign to invite every Catholic and every non-Catholic in the Waterways-McMurray community to come to the Mission which will be preached in the St. John Roman Catholic Church and also in the St. Peter Roman Catholic Church in Waterways by Rev. Fr. D. Edward. Every member was given a list of names of persons to contact and invite.

A letter from the Canadian Cancer Society, inviting a delegate to the annual cancer crusade workshop, was read. Mrs. A. Strandberg volunteered to attend as a delegate.

Spruce Valley

Recent visitors to Edmonton were John Wolak, Mrs. Stephania Wolak, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Skawronik and John Wiendz.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Koltowski and daughter Sylvia of Edmonton, were weekend guests at the home of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. P. Homeniuk and family.

Mike Chomiak of Edmonton was at his farm during the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Kochon and family of Edmonton visited in the district during the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Zilinski and daughter Lorna were visitors to Athabasca recently.

Eddie Mahaden has returned to his home in Edmonton after vacationing with relatives here.

Harry Dong was a recent patient in the Athabasca Hospital.

The reason why so many Canadians lose so much money to stock swindlers is because so many Canadians want to get something for nothing.

Cribbage Tourney Sponsored By IODE

McMURRAY—The Christina Gordon Chapter of the McMurray IODE held a successful cribbage tournament in the St. John's Anglican parish hall when 72 cribbage players turned out to attend the tournament.

Six games were played and Wilbur Graham, who was the only player who won all six games, was declared winner of the tournament and was presented the trophy by IODE Vice-regent Mrs. M. A. Jewett.

A number of players had five wins, so played off for second prize with Mrs. H. Demers being declared winner.

Mrs. J. Dowd won the consolation prize for having no wins and Gerry Bussieres won the prize for the greatest number of "skunks".

A buffet supper concluded an enjoyable evening.

Social Evening Planned By WA

McMURRAY — St. Aiden's WA held its monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. S. Pawelek, with President Mrs. A. Mitchell in the chair. Plans were made to hold a card party and social evening in the Community Hall.

Members also undertook the canvassing of the town for orders for printed name and address labels as this month's money-making project.

Hylo Drama Class Tours University

The drama class, accompanied by their teacher, N. Chodan, travelled to Edmonton in John Benuik's bus where the group toured the University in the afternoon and attended the play "Barefoot in Athens" in the evening. This was an impressive experience for the young girls and boys and will be remembered for a long time.

Those attending from Hylo were: Bob Hensen, Zorina Zalewsky, Allan Moshuk, Irene Sachko, Joan Smith Fay McEachern and Joanne Rosychuk.

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Baked Hungarian Stew

Do you have trouble thinking of ways to use the leftover roast from Sunday? Try this baked Hungarian stew for a real taste treat.

- 1 large onion, chopped (1 cup)
- 1 tbsp. fat
- 1 tbsp. flour
- 1 can (8 oz.) tomato sauce
- ½ cup water
- ½ tsp. salt
- 1 bay leaf
- 3 cups diced cooked lean beef, pork, lamb or veal
- 12 pitted dried prunes
- 1 can (about 1 lb.) white potatoes, drained and quartered

1. Saute onion lightly in fat in large frying pan; stir in flour, tomato sauce, water, salt, and bay leaf; heat to boiling; pour over meat in 6-cup baking dish. 2. Stir in prunes and potatoes. Bake in moderate gas oven (375°F.) 40 minutes, or until bubly-hot.—Northwestern Utilities Ltd.

Peace Tourist Association Seeks Hard-Surfacing Of Roads To North

McLENNAN — The Lesser Slave Lake-Peace River district marked its first anniversary at a meeting in High Prairie. Reports showed that the first year's membership included chambers of commerce and town councils from 20 communities between and including the cities of Edmonton and Dawson Creek. Several new communities have already joined for 1961 with inquiries being received almost daily from others interested. Officials feel confident that the membership will soon exceed 30 communities; thus linking up an almost continuous chain of districts between Edmonton on the south to Dawson Creek and Fort St. John in the north.

The meeting agreed to again publish 10,000 new tourist guide maps for distribution in all parts of Canada and the United States, in an effort to attract tourists to this part of the north country. The maps will be in two colors, showing all main roads, side roads, lakes, rivers, resorts, camping sites, fishing, hunting, etc. In addition, information regarding facilities and services available in the sponsoring towns along the route will be shown on the back of the map for the convenience of the travelling public.

Further publicity is being planned for the area through the National Film Board, who have been asked to film the route and distribute the films to all such outlets across the continent. All affiliated members have been asked to set up committees to gather data within their area regarding early history and points of interest which can be used by the producer for the film.

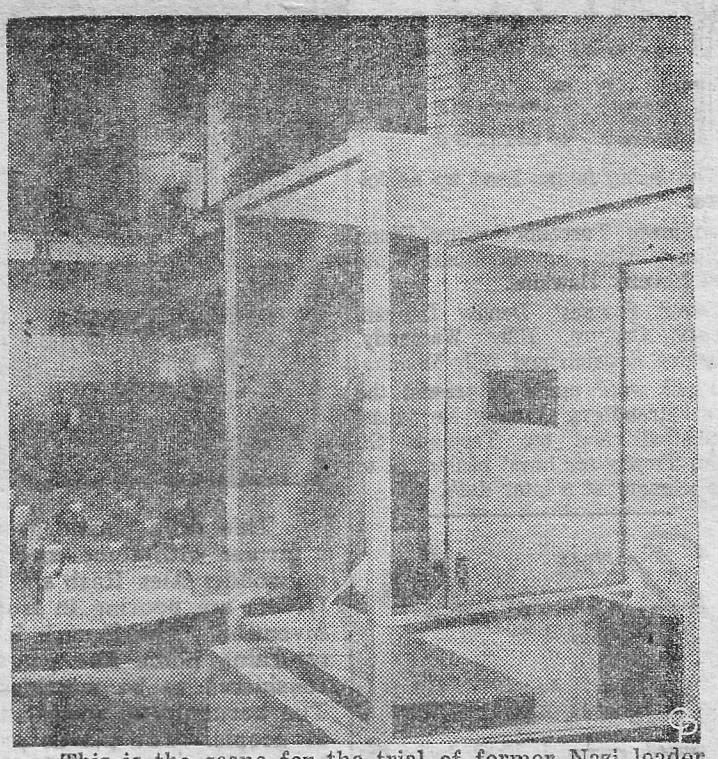
One of the major problems facing the association at the present time is the road situation, since most of the route is gravel highway. The association realizes that relatively few people will travel long distances on such roads and are presently urging the upgrading and hard-surfacing of this route in order that the full potential of the growing tourist industry may be realized in the north. In this connection, representations have already been made to the provincial government and in particular to all MLA's in the region. Roy Ells, MLA for Grouard, who attended the meeting advised that he would continue to press the requests of the association and would interview the Hon. Gordon E. Taylor, minister of highways, on this matter.

Hylo

Mrs. A. Joa and family were visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Bourassa.

Fred Michetti attended the wedding of Miss Diena Urdiga and Orest Petrowsky at Grassland.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Verboom were weekend visitors at the home of the latter's parents.



This is the scene for the trial of former Nazi leader Adolf Eichmann as the judge will see it in Jerusalem. In foreground is the glass enclosed, bulletproof prisoner's dock where Eichmann will sit as he is charged with the murder of 6,000,000 Jews. In background are seats for spectators.

EXCHANGE VISITS

Co-operators from the Soviet Union and Canada will exchange visits this year following the recommendation of the board of directors of the Co-operative Union of Canada to accept an invitation extended by Centrosoyus, Russia's biggest federation of co-operatives.

Beware of the guy who begins his conversation with, "It doesn't matter to me, but—"

GOOD REASON

"It says here that he was shot by his wife at very close range."

"Then there must have been powder marks on him."

"Yes — that why she shot him."

Caslan

Mr. and Mrs. E. Johnson were visitors in Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Giblak and Mr. and Mrs. Michael Kowalchuk of Edmonton were guests at the Giblak home over the Easter holiday.

Nick and Harold Krawchuk of Edmonton visited relatives during the weekend.

Mrs. Katie Cardinal was a patient in the Lac la Biche Hospital.

Willard Wolansky of Edmonton visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Wolansky during the weekend.

Mrs. A. Cherniwchan entertained members of her family over the Easter holiday. Her daughter Lucy and Effie of Calgary were visiting in the district.

Caroline Palylyk, Bill Gordey, Mrs. S. Cislo, Mrs. Sparrow and Mr. and Mrs. H. Cadwell attended the car bingo in Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Sawka spent Easter in Thorhild with members of their family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Gordon were visitors in Edmonton during the school holidays.

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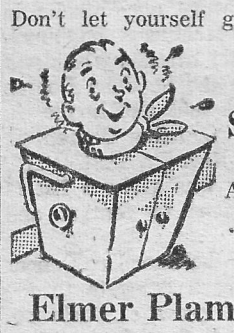

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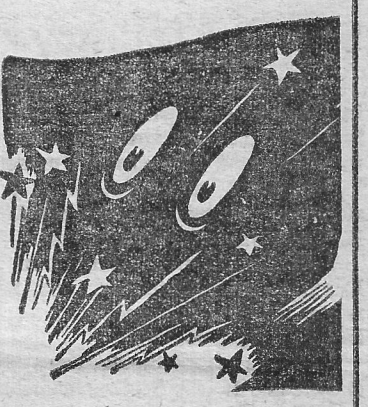

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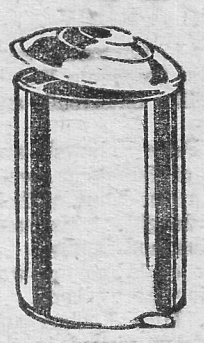

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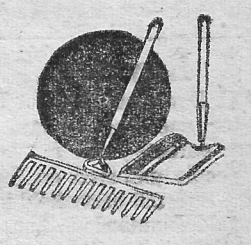

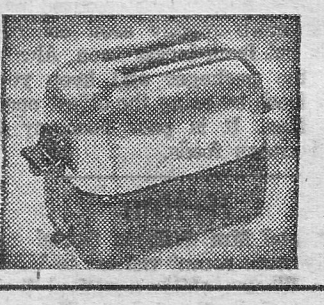

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